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Dr. Homer L. Wilkes, Director Gulf Coast Ecosystem Restoration Team USDA, Natural Resources Conservation Service 7578 Old Canton Road Madison Mississippi 39110

RE: State of Alabama Coastal Consistency Concurrence

USDA – Twenty-two Proposed Restoration Projects in the Alabama Restoration Area The Natural Resource Trustees for the Deepwater Horizon Oil Spill Alabama Trustee Implementation

Group (Alabama TIG) - Draft Restoration Plan II and Environmental Assessment

Alabama Department of Environmental Management (ADEM) Tracking Code: 2018-154-FC-FAA-USDA

Dear Dr. Wilkes:

On March 21, 2018, the ADEM received the USDA's Consistency Determination (CD) that the restoration plan and its twenty-two proposed restoration projects are consistent with the Alabama Coastal Area Management Program. Public noticing requirements of Title 15 C.F.R. §930.42 have been completed. Pursuant to Title 15 C.F.R. §930.41(a), by this letter the ADEM hereby notifies the USDA of its **concurrence** with the USDA's CD.

Contact the Mobile-Coastal office anytime with questions. Always include the ADEM tracking code above when corresponding on this matter. J. Scott Brown is the Mobile-Coastal office contact for this project; he may be reached by phone at 251.304.1176 or by e-mail at jsb@adem.alabama.gov.

Sincerely,

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